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Andre Lavoie et al.

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced Patent Application:

1. Fee Transmittal;
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) (in duplicate);
3. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (in duplicate);
4. Amendment Transmittal (in duplicate);
5. Amendment After Final Action under 37 CFR § 1.116;
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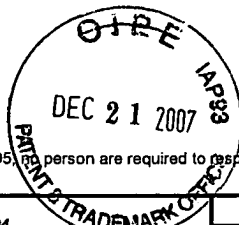
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	310	155	510	255	210	105	
Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	210	105
Multiple dependent claims	370	185

Total Claims **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**

44 - 41 = 3 x 50 = 150.00

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$260 (\$130 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets **Extra Sheets** **Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**

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4. OTHER FEE(S)

	Fees Paid (\$)
1253 Extension for response within third month	1,050.00
1202 Claims in Excess of 20	150.00
1801 Request for continued examination (RCE)	810.00

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